

# The Brill Family Papers

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## Creators

Theodore Rogers Brill  
Henry C. Brill

## Extent

.2 linear feet, or 19 folders

## Dates

Inclusive: 1764 – 1946

Bulk: 1820 – 1890

## Conditions Governing Access

No Restrictions

## Languages

English

## Scope and Content

The collection consists mainly of deeds, indentures and mortgages retained by the Brill Family in the Town of Beekman. Also included are a business account, bills of sale, correspondence, and

some ephemera. The collection also contains a scrapbook made by Theodore Brill, and Henry C. Brill's diary of farm operations.

## Historical Note

The Brill family owned and exchanged land primarily in the Town of Beekman.

## Provenance

The Brill Family Papers were donated to the Dutchess County Historical Society by Theodore Rogers Brill in 1946.

## Subject Headings

Agriculture; Business records; Deeds; Land titles; Rombout Patent

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## Container List

### Small Collections Box 7

File	Contents	Date
File 22 DC.0455	DCHS correspondence with Theodore Rogers Brill	1945
File 23 DC.0456	Deed from Philip Solomon Flagler to Philip Flagler for land in the Rumbout precinct [Rombout?] (with typed transcript)	1764 May 1
File 24 DC.0457	Deed from Zebulon Ashby to Philip Flagler for land in the Town of Fishkill	1822 March 11
File 25 DC.0458	Will of Zachariah Flagler of the Town of Fishkill	1822 April 9
File 26 DC.0459	Will of Philip Flagler of the Town of Beekman (with typed transcript)	1839 August 9
File 27 DC.0460	Deed and map from Charles G. Howison of Virginia to Henry C. Brill of Dutchess County	1851 January 1
DC.0461	Deed from Thomas J. Doughty to Mary Carl of Putnam co.	1852, April 1
File 28 DC.0462	Mortgage from Henry Brill & wife Evaline to Phoebe Brenson of Beekman	1866 April 2
DC.0463	Deed of Hezekiah Johnson to Oliver Johnson for land in town of Beekman	1858 March 24

File 29 DC.0464	Deed from Peter B. Woodin of Ulster County to Henry Brill in the Town of Pawling	1859 January 1
File 30 DC.0465	Mortgage from William C. Carl to Moses C. Sands of Poughkeepsie for land in Beekman	1860 May 1
DC.0466	Deed from Jacob Horton and Lawrence Rapijje to Henry C. Brill for land in town of Beekman	1859 March 28
DC.0467	Deed from Joel Seaman to Henry C. Brill for land in Pawling	1859 April 30
DC.0468	Deed from Edward I Brownell to Alnina Griffin for land in Beekman	1859 June 3
DC.0469	Mortgage from William C. Carl to Moses C. Sands	1860, May 1
File 31 DC.0470	Quit-claim deed from William C. Carl to Wilson B. Sheldon for land in Beekman	1861 January 4
File 32 DC.0471	Page from an account book of Henry C. Brill	1864 – 1865
File 33 DC.0472	Executor's deed – William Doughty & Morton Brock, executors of the estate of William Brock, to Henry C. Brill	1864 April 22
File 34 DC.0473 .1	Letters from Brill scrapbook – Letter from Eveline R. Abel at Hughsonville to Henry C. Brill	1860 May 23
File 35 DC.0473 .2	Letters from Brill scrapbook – Letter from Mrs. Eveline Abel Brill from Rome to daughter Nelie	circa 1876
File 36 DC.0473 .3	Scrapbook made by Theodore Brill	1886 March 12
File 36 DC.0473 .7	Letters from Brill scrapbook – Letter from Agamemnon (Aggie [Borseigh?]) to Mrs. T. R. Brill	1886 February 26
File 36 DC.0473 .8	Letter from Aggie [Bowdish(?)] to T. R. Brill on the death of Mrs. Brill	1886 March 9
File 36 DC.0473 .9	Photographs taken at Saranac by T. Brill	ND
File 37 DC.0473 .3	Poem "to my valentine"	1899
File 38 DC.0473 .4	Letter to Theodore Brill concerning personal astrology from Professor Harris Edison	1900 July 5
File 39 DC.0473 .5	Letter from James Chitticks to T. Brill of death of sister Helen	ND

File 40 DC.0474	Diary of Henry c. Brill relating to farm operations	1877-1882
DC.0475	Photograph of portrait of Helen Cornwell Brill	ND
File 41 DC.0476	Bill of sale of one cow sold by A. R. Watson to Albert Watson	1890 December 13
File 42 DC.0477 .a-b	Last will and testament of T. Brill (2 copies); Probate; Petition of the executors of Theodore Brill	circa 1946
DC.0478	Probate fo DC.0477	ND
DC.0479	Petition of executors of Theodore Rogers Brill	ND